

Subscriptions by
cities or towns.

SEC. 12. Any city or incorporated town may subscribe to the capital stock of said company, upon the approval of said subscription by a majority of the qualified voters of such city or town at an election to be held in the same manner as elections are held for offices of said cities and towns. Upon approval of such subscription by a majority of the qualified voters of any city or town, the corporate authorities thereof may subscribe for stock in said company and issue its bonds as in this act provided for counties or townships, and shall levy a tax for the payment of the same as in this act provided for counties, and shall receive stock therefor.

Special tax.

Coupons past due
when bonds de-
livered to com-
pany to be de-
tached.

SEC. 13. Should any of the interest on said bonds be due at time of delivery to the company, the coupons therefor shall be detached by the trustee.

SEC. 14. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 24th day of February, A. D. 1883.

CHAPTER 179.

An act to amend the law in regard to sheriffs' fees.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Chap. 139, sec. 4,
sub-sec. 12, laws
1870-'1, amended.

SECTION 1. That sub-section twelve, section four, chapter one hundred and thirty-nine, of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy and seventy-one, be and the same is hereby amended by adding after the word "collected" the words "and the like commission for all moneys which may be paid to the plaintiff by the defendant, while the execution is in the hands of the sheriff."

Commissions on
money collected
upon executions.